

## House Resolution No. 1257

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her peers; and

**Whereas**, Emilee Wood of Perryville, Missouri, is to be commended for her efforts to raise more than \$1,000 for the American Cancer Society; and

**Whereas**, twelve-year-old Emilee Wood has been volunteering for the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life for the past four years; and

**Whereas**, Emilee decided that if she reached her fundraiser goal of \$1,000 that she would also have her hair cut for Locks of Love, a program which makes natural-hair wigs for children with cancer; and

**Whereas**, Emilee has raised more than \$1,000 for this year's Relay for Life by selling items including glow sticks, candy, and Grannies Goodies candles; and

**Whereas**, a member of Girl Scout Troop 120 and member of the school volleyball team and city's volleyball league, Emilee Wood has achieved all of this and more with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her proud parents, Lee and Pam Wood; her brothers, Travis and Kyle; and her grandparents, Donald and Joyce Grass, and Sandra Wood:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Emilee Wood at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Emilee Wood, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Steven Tilley  
District No. 106

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 1257, adopted March 15, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker